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OUR OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE

Moore county has raised its Service Organizations. This was quota of \$600 for the United Service Organizations. This is too vital a part of Uncle Sam's defense program to be neglected. It was something those of us who are not in uniform, not in production jobs, could do to help.

In the words of District Attorney Thomas E. Dewey, national campaign chairman of the U.S.O.:

"The private life and the religious guidance of our boys are not a government function in a free country. True, they are the business of government in Nazi Germany, Communist Russia, and Fascist Italy. But that is the very thing to which we stand opposed. This function is part of the sober business of preserving the essentials of freedom in this, our homeland—almost the last free country in the world."

The U.S.O. is a vote of confidence by the private citizens of America in the armed forces and the defense workers who are doing a job for them and who must not be let down.

How can the U.S.O. remedy the existing situation in the towns adjacent to defense centers? Its program is very definite, and has been worked out in close cooperation with Government authorities.

In service clubs built by and leased from the Government in more than 360 points adjacent to military, naval and defense centers all through the country and in the overseas bases, the U.S.O. will carry forward the necessary welfare, religious, educational, and social services. These services will be provided to members of the armed forces and to defense workers, both men and women. For it must be remembered that a large proportion of the workers in our new defense industries are women. The situation in some of the communities adjacent to huge new defense plants, where there are no adequate welfare, recreational, or other morale-building services, is difficult. Grave likewise are the problems arising from the widespread migration encouraged by the growth of defense industries and military construction.

To meet these and other needs in each defense area, U.S.O. programs will be carefully individualized locally. Cooperation between the Government, the U.S.O. organizations, and the local communities will be directed to seeing that the resources of each are effectively used.

The Government will provide the buildings. The U.S.O. must turn to you and your fellow citizens everywhere for aid in operating the program.

TWO WAYS OF LIFE

This second World War is a war between two philosophies, two ways of life, two diametrically opposed systems of government.

In every land which the Axis has conquered, all liberty has been ruthlessly abolished. The free enterprise system, where it existed, has been consigned to the rubbish heap. Dissenters have faced the firing squad or have been sentenced to living death in a concentration camp. A whole continent has been chained to the Nazi chariot, and the peoples of a dozen nations, many of them once democratic and free, have been reduced to the status of slaves. The individual is nothing—the state is all.

Our part in this war then, whether or not we eventually become active belligerents, is to prove to all the world that free enterprise is superior to slave

THE POCKETBOOK OF KNOWLEDGE BY TOPPS

TIME LOST
 IN DEFENSE STRIKES
 IN THE FIRST 5 MONTHS
 OF 1941 WERE ENOUGH TO
 BUILD:
 1800 TANKS
 220,000
 MACHINE GUNS
 OR
 1600 AIRPLANES

ONE EARLY TYPEWRITER HAD KEYS
 LIKE A PIANO. YOU WRITE LETTERS
 BY "PLAYING ON THE KEYS."

IN SWEDEN, MAIL BOYS ARE
 ATTACHED TO THE FRONTS OF
 STREET CARS

EMPLOYMENT IN THE MACHINE TOOL
 INDUSTRY, UPON WHICH THE WAR
 PRODUCTION OF DEFENSE EQUIPMENT
 DEPENDS, IS NOW ABOUT 163
 PER CENT AS GREAT AS IT WAS 15
 MONTHS EARLIER

ALTHOUGH ONLY 3 PERSONS ARE NEEDED TO MAN THE
 AVERAGE COAST-TO-COAST PLANE, ABOUT 58 EMPLOYEES
 ARE INVOLVED IN EACH FLIGHT, ACCORDING TO ONE
 AIRLINE COMPANY

GRAINS OF SAND

Remember when a million dollars was a lot of money?

On June 30th, this year, the published statements of the ten largest New York banks show total deposits of more than 15 1-2 billion dollars.

Whew! "Hey, Buddy, want a caddy?" a bunch of doughboys yelled at a fellow playing golf in Tennessee the other day as they trekked back from a hard day's march.

The fellow turned out to be Lieutenant General Ben Lear, Second Army commander, who didn't seem to like it much. He ordered them back from whence they had come, to march by the golf course in more orderly manner.

New car registrations in the state totaled 7,157 during June, compared with 3,907 during June of 1940. Folks are taking seriously the reports there may be a shortage of new vehicles during the coming year. Thus far in 1941, 41,899 new cars have been registered against 26,656 for the same period last year.

In the Saturday Evening Post of June 28, under the title, "Pretty Heady Stuff," is the name of Mildred Harrington. Mildred Harrington, now Mrs. Peter Lynch of New York, is a former Aberdeen girl.

A number of years ago Mildred Harrington thought she wanted to write. Some of her first efforts were printed in the Moore County News. Articles for the State papers followed, and then before very long she found she could sell an occasional bit of fiction or an article to some of the women's magazines. The American Magazine liked her work and she became one of the associate editors of that publication. Last week she achieved the enviable position of a Saturday Evening Post writer.

Mildred Harrington was a likeable girl and her many friends in

enterprise—that democracy is superior to totalitarianism. And we can prove that in only one way. That is by encouraging the private enterprise system, under fair and suitable government regulation, to produce as it never produced before. That means that we must encourage privately-owned industry—whether it deals in electric power or coal or oil or manufacturing or anything else—to do the greatest job in history. It means that all evidences of totalitarianism in this country must be suppressed. It means that we must consistently oppose state socialism wherever it appears, whatever its manifestation. We are fighting for the right of free men to engage freely in legitimate business under a free system. If that right is lost we will suffer an irrevocable defeat no matter how great our military prowess.

Private enterprise is ready to meet the test. The record of the past is the promise of the future. It is up to all men to prove now that the American way is the winning way—and the way to eventual peace and security for all the people.

North Carolina who have watched her literary ascent with enthusiasm will be interested in her latest success.

Another authoress wins her reward. This time it is little Sally Metcalk Eaton, the young granddaughter of Mrs. Frances T. Keating of Pinehurst. Ten-year-old Sally won a prize for her poem, "Airplane," from the Boston Herald several weeks ago.

The magazine "Life" has on several occasions caught a Sandhiller out in some interesting spot where the editor thought it worth while to chronicle a story and print a picture. Not long ago when the Folley family of Aberdeen opened a copy of the popular magazine they found they were looking at Alwin Folley, a reserve officer at Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill. Young Alwin was pictured with an Army nurse, Lt. Hines, dancing at the Rainbow Room of the Hotel Faust in Rockford, and again as the couple was leaving and heading back to camp. The story featured the Army nurse in national defense work and her hours of recreation.

W. T. Huntley, who is on the second half of his tenth year as tax collector for Moore county, says that the tax collecting business is getting better. A larger percentage of the tax levy was collected last year than any year since he has been in office, Mr. Huntley said, and this year seems to be doing as well is not better.

Mr. Huntley attributes the improvement to the greater than usual



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DONALD A. CURRIE
 Pinehurst, N. C.



ABERDEEN

Laurence Farrell, of Camp Jackson, is spending this week at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hurley of Arlington, Va., arrived last Saturday and are visiting in the home of Mr. Hurley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hurley.

Mrs. J. T. Johnson has returned home after spending some time in Cleveland, Ohio. She was accompanied by her aunt who will make here home with Mr. and Mrs. Johnson.

Linwood Pleasants returned to Richmond Monday after spending several days with his parents here.

Eugene Kirk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Kirk, left Sunday for a visit with relatives in Washington, D. C. Miss Ethelyn Graham of Durham is visiting Miss Louise Martin.

J. W. Graham, who has been quite sick since Sunday has entered the Moore County Hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Glenn Caviness has accepted a position in the office of the Aberdeen and Rockfish Railroad.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Finch are moving the first of the week from the Alton McLean house on Southern Pines Road into the house on Raeford Road, recently erected by J. B. Edwards.

Miss Betty Martin Osborne of Greensboro, is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Miller.

Mrs. E. L. Pleasants and Miss Frances Pleasants attended the funeral of P. A. Murray in Cheraw, S. C., Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Edwards spent Monday in Charlotte.

amount of employment available this year and to the fact that the county commissioners have been tightening down on delinquents.

"I've never seen a quieter 4th of July holiday," said Deputy Sheriff Charlie Dunlap in discussing the holiday from the standpoint of law violations.

With thousands of people from all over the country at the big celebration in Carthage there were only a few arrests, chiefly for drunkenness the officer reported.

CORRESPONDENCE

To The Editor:

May I write a line in regard to the Community Building movement being sponsored by the Rotarians and the Jaycees.

Goldsboro may have need for a Community Building, Carthage and Aberdeen also, but if the organizations in Southern Pines would use their energy and effort to putting the Civic Club and the Country Club on their feet, I feel we would have no need for any other building as a recreation center. The Civic Club is available for small gatherings for those who are willing to pay a modest fee for its use. It may be Civic Club now in name only, as this year's paid up membership was just 80 women and 3 men; but whose fault is that? (Incidentally, over half of these members are now out of town.) It is struggling under a \$2,600 mortgage and is in need of paint and repairs. The Country Club, vital to the town, should be obtained and put in condition for larger affairs. That needs to be done, and done now. Those two clubs with the much needed golf links would meet all the needs of Southern Pines, and would be all that the taxpayers could carry.

—A member of the Civic Club and a Taxpayer.

SEABOARD POSTER WARNS AGAINST FOREST FIRES

A poster emphasizing the destruction caused by forest fires has just been released by the Industrial Department of the Seaboard Air Line Railway. Charles A. Gillett, Industrial Forester for the railway, says the poster's slogan, "Fire Destroys—Don't Let it Happen," should be adopted if the area is to have continued prosperity. This is the second of a series of posters by which Mr. Gillett hopes to acquaint timberland owners and the public at large with the railway's comprehensive forestry program aimed at perpetuation of a natural resource which can be made inexhaustible by proper treatment.

Pilot Advertising Pays.

WILL OF LATE S. A. SCOTT FILED HERE FOR PROBATE

A copy of the will of the late Samuel A. Scott of Mount Hope, West Virginia, has been filed for probate in the office of the Clerk of Court of Moore county. With the exception of \$200 a month to his sister, Mrs. A. D. Nicholls, of Pittsburgh, Pa., the income from the estate is to go to his wife and at her death a large number of relatives are to receive bequests. The remainder is to be used as follows: 15 percent to Davis-Stuart School, of Lewisburg, W. Va.; five percent to Round Hill cemetery in Pennsylvania; 15 percent to Ben Kedem Temple A. A. O. N. M. S. of Charleston, W. Va., to be used exclusively for the relief of crippled children, and five per cent to the executive committee of foreign missions of the Presbyterian church to be used for the foreign mission work of the church.

2,087 MATTRESSES MADE SINCE PROJECT STARTED

Two thousand and eighty-seven mattresses have been made in Moore county to date under general supervision of the Home Agent with the following supervisors: Mrs. W. E. Kelly at Carthage, Mrs. J. B. McDonald at Cameron, Mrs. Lillie Crabtree and Mrs. Annie Thomas at Eagle Springs. In July a fourth center will be started at the Westmoore School with Mrs. Eula Scott as supervisor.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses have been issued from the office of the Register of Deeds of Moore county to the following: James Lewis Pollock of High Point and Hazel Elizabeth Brown of Hemp; George S. Griffith, Seattle, Washington, and Mary Fowler Spencer, Carthage; C. J. Fuqua of Burlington and Isabel Davis of Hemp.

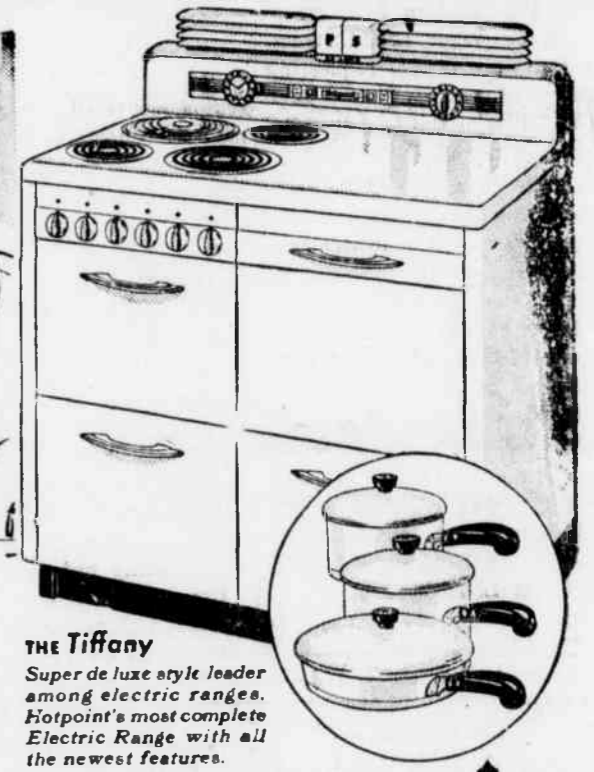
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